

Institute Members, Friends Travel To Huntsville

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Members of the Bonnechere Valley Women's Institute organized a bus trip to Blink Bonnie Lodge at Fairy Lake near Huntsville on Tuesday, August 1st, and over 40, including other district institute members, husbands and friends enjoyed the tour.

The chartered bus left Renfrew at eight o'clock in the morning and arrived at Highland Inn, Algonquin Park, at twelve noon where tea was served by the hostess there. Relaxation during the trip included observing the wild deer which are tame enough to feed from the tourists' hands. On arriving at Blink Bonnie Lodge, approximately 157 miles from Renfrew, sight seeing, boating and swimming were enjoyed until five o'clock. Tea and coffee were then served by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Laird, and on departure a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Laird by the party. In return an invitation was extended by the Lairds for a return visit to Blink Bonnie.

On the way home the journey was one of entertainment with singing, reciting and story telling enjoyed. All agreed that the tour was a splendid success and the bus driver was complimented on his excellent driving during the trip.

NORTH HORTON

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mulvihill of Dacre visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner at Carleton Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gillan of Goshen visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mel. Eady.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Eady were in Ottawa on Saturday owing to the death of Mrs. Cere, mother of Mrs. Graham Eady.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Smith at Wolftown.

A large crowd attended "Community Night" in the hall Friday

North Horton W.I. Met In Community Hall 1951

The North Horton Women's Institute held their February meeting in the Community Hall with a small attendance owing to sickness in the community. Members of the Castleford W.I. were guests at this meeting.

The roll call "My most embarrassing moment" recalled many amusing incidents and caused much merriment. It was decided to enter into Fair work again this year.

Community night to be first Friday of each month as usual, weather and roads permitting.

Papers given on current events by Mrs. R. G. Cole, and "Let's not fool ourselves" by Mrs. D. Wallace.

Also there were one minute speeches on subjects drawn from a hat. The door prize was won by Mrs. Harold Collins, and the winner of a contest put on by Frances Stewart was Mrs. A. Johnston.

Lunch was served at the close of meeting.

night all enjoyed the pictures shown.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Wallace recently were, Mrs. Wm. Wallace and Mrs. Colins Ferguson of Thompsonville, and Mr. Glen Hartwick of Killaroe.

Mr. Bill Wallace is attending a Junior Farmers' conference in Guelph this week.

Miss Jessie Wallace, student nurse at Victoria hospital, is attending a nurses' convention in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McQuitty spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Gould and Mr. Gould at Haleys.

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Mrs. Dewar Addressed North Horton W. I.

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The March meeting of the North Horton Women's Institute was held in the Community Hall with a good attendance. The roll-call, "A verse from an old reader" was answered by all members and most visitors. It was decided that we would have a film night in April.

We were pleased to see our district president, Mrs. Dewar, and enjoyed her very interesting talk and quiz on Institute work.

The older people in the community and life members of the Institute were to be remembered at Easter by the Institute.

A dance was discussed and one decided on as soon as possible. Papers on "Adult Education" by Mrs. L. G. Burton and Mrs. R. G. Cole. Mrs. Wallace had a contest on cabinet ministers, won by Mrs. Dewar.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem and lunch was served by hostesses Mrs. H. Collins and Mrs. G. Larone.

Women's Institute was held in the community hall with 14 members present who answered the roll call by naming a scientist and his contribution to our health.

Literature was received on the convenor's conference to be held in Guelph on May 3rd and 4th. Mrs. A. Johnston and Mrs. G. Larone were appointed as delegates to this conference.

The co-operation programs were discussed and a choice was made.

Mrs. L. G. Burton took the chair for the election of officers for the coming year as follows: president, Mrs. R. G. Cole; vice-presidents, Miss F. Stewart, Mrs. D. Jamieson; secretary, Mrs. Larone; district director, Mrs. D. Wallace; branch directors, Mrs. McQuitty, Mrs. C. Humphries and Mrs. R. Smith; auditors, Mrs. D. Wallace, Mrs. R. Smith; resolution committee, Mrs. Wilson Burton. A vote of thanks was moved by Mrs. Cole to the retiring officers.

Meeting was closed by singing the National Anthem. Lunch was served in the basement by Mrs. Dougal Jamieson and Mrs. R. Smith.